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Application of: CHANG et al. Confirmation No.: 1499
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For: SCHMITT TRIGGER CIRCUIT WITH ADJUSTABLE TRIP POINT VOLTAGES Attorney Docket No.: 9818-061-999

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated
February 25, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

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2. ☐ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
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☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
4. ☐ Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non-profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$160.00 is:
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